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Applicant: Vollkommer et al.

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Fitted with Said Flat Fluorescent Light

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated 9/23/2004 with respect to the above-  
identified application, the applicants hereby request entry of the following amendment.